



Legislation Text

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Health and Human Services Agency recommending the Board receive a presentation by the Behavioral Health Division and Community partners to include the El Dorado County Sheriff and Probation Departments, Marshall Hospital, Barton Hospital, the Hospital Council and the Mental Health Commission to educate the community and Board on the issues related to the Behavioral Health Division and the community impacts. (Est. Time: 2 Hr.)

FUNDING: N/A

DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATION:

Health and Human Services Agency (HHS) recommending the Board receive a presentation by community partners and the Behavioral Health Division to educate and inform the Board of the challenges of the behavioral health system and impacts to our community.

DISCUSSION / BACKGROUND:

Health and Human Services Agency (HHS) received input from the community of a need to educate and inform the Board of the challenges of the behavioral health system and impacts to our community. Areas of focus for the presentation will include defining behavioral health, discuss growing need and changes in the system delivery at the regional and national levels, challenges of a rural county, impact on community partners, what currently exists and what can we do differently in the behavioral health system.

Presentation members to include multiple El Dorado County departments and community partners to discuss impacts to the community.

ALTERNATIVES:

None.

OTHER DEPARTMENT / AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

El Dorado County Sheriff, El Dorado County Probation, Marshall Hospital, Barton Hospital, Mental Health Commission, Hospital Council of Northern and Central California

CAO RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board receive and file this presentation.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no Net County Cost associated with this Agenda item.

CLERK OF THE BOARD FOLLOW UP ACTIONS

No action needed.

STRATEGIC PLAN COMPONENT:

Service Integration - Behavioral Health Division

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